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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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**RENEWED PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.28(c)**

Sir:

This Renewed Petition is submitted in response to a Decision issued by the Office of Petition of the US Patent Office on July 11, 2006 on Applicant's request for acceptance of a fee deficiency under 37 C.F.R. 1.28 (c) filed March 20, 2006. Copy of the Decision is attached hereto as Exhibit A.

The above-identified request was dismissed on a basis that Petitioner, i.e., Applicant in the above-identified application, has failed to identify the small entity fee which was

actually paid, and when, as required by the portion of the 37 C.F.R. 1.28 (c) (ii)(B).

It is respectfully submitted that the small entity fee of \$ 700.00 was paid to cover the required Issue Fee on October 6, 2005. The copies of the Part B-Fee(s) Transmittal as filed on October 6, 2005 and of the stamped postcard confirming receipt of the payment by the US PTO on October 11, 2005 are attached hereto as Exhibit B.

It is believed that the above statement of the undersigned applicant's attorney as well as the copies of the relevant pages submitted with this Renewed Petition and identifying the amount of the small entity fee actually paid and the specific date of payment satisfy requirements of 37 C.F.R. 1.28 (c).

Accordingly, reconsideration and favorable decision on this Renewed Petition are respectfully requested.

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Respectfully submitted  
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